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Jackson County Officials.

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Treasurer—Arthur H. Smith.
Surveyor—W. P. Ramsey.
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Board of Supervisors.
Sheriff—Brown, Benjamin.
Deputy Sheriff—Simeon George, R. C. Gentry, H. O. Perry, Andrew Allman.
Board of Health.
P. M. Mayor, President—L. P. DeLoach, Secretary—M. M. Evans, R. F. Duke, Quartermaster—J. H. Smith.

THE COURTS.

THE REGULAR TERMS.

Circuit Court—2nd Dist.

THAD A. WOOD, Judge.

WALTER A. WHITE, District Attorney.

In the county of Wayne on the second Monday of January and continue six days.
In the county of Paul River on the third Monday of April and continue six days.
In the county of Marion, second district on the third Monday of January and continue six days.
In the county of Jackson on the first Monday of February and continue six days.
In the county of Clarke on the second Monday of February and continue six days.
In the county of Madison on the first Monday of March and continue six days.
In the county of Hancock on the fourth Monday of May and continue six days.
In the county of Harrison on the first Monday of June and continue six days.
In the county of Lincoln on the second Monday of June and continue six days.
In the county of Jackson on the fourth Monday of April and continue six days.

Chancery Court—2d Dist.

N. C. HILL, Chancellor.

In the county of Paul River on the first Monday of January and continue six days.
In the county of Marion, first district on the second Monday of January and continue six days.
In the county of Jackson on the third Monday of January and continue six days.
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TIME - TABLE.

LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R.

GOING EAST.

No. 2—Leaves New Orleans at 7:45 p. m. Arrives at Scranton at 10:50 p. m. Arrives in Mobile at 12:45 a. m.

No. 4—Leaves New Orleans at 11:15 a. m. Arrives at Scranton at 2:20 p. m. Arrives at Mobile at 3:15 p. m.

No. 6—Leaves New Orleans at 7:55 a. m. Arrives at Scranton at 11:25 a. m. Arrives at Mobile at 12:40 p. m.

GOING WEST.

No. 1—Leaves Mobile at 2:15 p. m. Arrives at Scranton at 3:30 p. m. New Orleans 7:10 p. m.

No. 3—Leaves Mobile at 3:15 a. m. Arrives at Scranton at 4:30 a. m. New Orleans 7:40 a. m.

No. 5—Leaves Mobile at 4:15 p. m. Arrives at Scranton at 5:30 p. m. New Orleans 8:30 p. m.

In effect June 1, 1900.

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September 24, 1900. 33-1v

Dr. E. Frank Griffin,

DENTIST.

Scranton, Miss.

Has located permanently in Scranton Office in the Palace Pharmacy building, on Adams street.

January 12, 1900. 38-3v

Editorial and Otherwise.

Pride has a fall sometimes.

Fickle people are not reliable.

Pot luck is mighty poor luck at best.

One of the worst faults is finding them.

No family is a model one to the janitor.

Brethren don't always dwell together in unity.

Too many cooks sometimes spoil the broth.

The "I told you so" man never admits his mistake.

A betting man doesn't have to be fat to be a heavy loser.

Don't spend your money just because it is a rainy day.

It is mighty hard to down an energetic, square-dealing man.

Some people go through life whistling to keep their courage up.

Faith without works is dead and work without faith is drudgery.

"Frying size" kids are too fresh sometimes in the presence of their betters.

Every young lady who buys "Rough on Rats" don't use it for suicidal purposes.

Pascagoula is an ideal sea shore resort, fishing, bathing and boating unequalled.

Japan should remember that Russia is a very different sort of a proposition from China.

Queen Victoria is in Dublin and it is raining there. That will make it seem homelike.

An old bachelor says that he believes marriage is a means of grace—because it leads to repentance.

It is a mystery to most men how a woman can tolerate a pet dog when she has a hobby in the house plants he is always wrecking.

When the times are out of joint everything moves rapidly—the wrong way.

Some people would never rejoice in an assegin robe unless they got it at a bargain day price.

War has broken out in Ashanti and an interesting question is how many new African words it will add to the English language.

Dewey is not satisfied with the house given him by the American people. He wants to exchange it for the White House.

A Western philosopher observes that in every family you will find an old man trying to quit smoking and a young man trying to learn.

Caddy women see the folly of their course sometimes and settle down to a quiet home life.

New subscribers are coming in almost every day for the DEMOCRAT-STAR. If this continues much longer a new and faster press will have to be purchased with steam fixtures.

The kind and prudent husband who has saved up his money this winter will now be led before windows filled with bonnets, even as a lamb to the sacrifice.

A Michigan transportation company spent \$2 in collecting 13 cents. There was certainly more money than sense in this.

When the cabinet can take time from Webster Davis it is considering the war tax and little things like that.

Winter isn't nestling in the lap of Spring. The latter hasn't even had a chance to be seated.

A man cannot always be considered lucky when everything comes his way. It may be a mad dog, or a Texas steer, or a lunatic with a long shooting gun.

The "Bootless Baby" is a new play. The play may be enjoyed if none but bawling babies are allowed to attend.

Fifty thousand horses are reported to have been purchased by the British war office and to be in transit for South Africa.

Generally the women who spend a lot of time striving for "the higher life" leave their husbands to do the striving for the house rent.

Goldsmith said: "People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after."

This is the law of benefits between men—the one ought to forget at once what he has given, and the other ought never to forget what he has received.

Women tempt thieves by the careless way in which they carry their pocket-books, but that's the fact, and they had rather be out of money than out of style.

It is a pity a man can't get a pair of suspenders that will hold up his reputation as well as his trousers.

A boarding house is the place to get substantial food. It is often so substantial that you can't chew it.

Some people who were never accused of modesty have been badly shocked by a naked electric wire.

It's a lucky thing we don't have to pay taxes on our air castles or most of us would be continually broke.

The two most awkward things in this world are a woman holding a gun and a bachelor holding a baby.

The world is full of men who are willing to preserve the honor of their country at the polls—for a consideration.

When shifting people can't think of any other way to annoy their neighbors they get a dog to howl through the night.

It's a toss-up between the amateur fisherman and the father of a smart baby as to which is entitled to the liar's medal.

The farmers would have no kick coming if the cyclone would lift the mortgage from his farm along with the other paraphernalia.

THE OCEAN.

BY RUSTARD WOLFE.

The bounding ocean's mighty waste,

Surpassing grand, serene,

Over it sweeps the flying clouds,

Which leave their shades of green;

Their darker gray, their deeper blue,

Shows tints of the landscape high,

And the varied hues of the Master's art

All meet with the poet eye.

Its surging billows coursing in,

Bestrew the even strand

With pearls and shells and wreckage

From ships lost far from land.

The foaming waters speeding on

O'erthrows each mountain wave,

And the thundering sound of the breaker's roar

A requiem chants o'er the sailor's grave.

The birds that live on its heaving breast

In the softest cradle sway,

Through the silent night till the wakening morn

Gives forth the light of day;

They soar and sail or rest at will

O'er the rocking, rolling sea,

Or fly away to rocks and cliffs,

Where their mates may be nested be.

And ships that trade with our golden shores,

From a sunny southern clime,

Are wafted along with outstretched wings

Through the wonderful volume of brine;

They leave in their wake a passing streak

On the ocean's calm repose,

Which lengthens and narrows till lost to sight,

As the vessel onward goes.

THE BIBLE.

The following is an account of the number of books, chapters, verses, words and letters contained in the Old and New Testaments.

OLD TESTAMENT.

Number books.....39

" chapters.....929

" verses.....23,214

" words.....592,439

" letters.....2,728,100

The middle book is Proverbs, the middle chapter is Job, xxix, the middle verse would be 11 Chronicles, xx, 17.

If there were a verse more, and verse 18, if there were a verse less.

The word and occurs 35,543 times, the word JEHOWAH occurs 6,855 times, the shortest verse is 1 Chronicles, 1, 25.

The 21st verse of the 7th chapter of Ezra contains all the letters of the alphabet.

The 19th of the 11 Kings, and 37 chapter of Isaiah are alike.

NEW TESTAMENT.

Number books.....27

" chapters.....260

" verses.....7,059

" words.....181,258

" letters.....838,380

The middle book is 11 Thessalonians. The middle chapter is Romans xii. If there were a chapter more, and xiv. If there were a chapter less. The middle verse is Acts xvii, 17. The shortest verse is John xi, 35.

OLD AND NEW TESTAMENTS.

Number books.....66

" chapters.....1,189